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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.114.

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated January 9, 2006, Applicants submit the Request for Continued Examination Pursuant To 37 CFR 1.114, together with a fee of \$395.00 under 1.17(e), and the response to the final Office Action. A Petition to extend the time for Response for one month from April 9, 2006 to May 9, 2006 is attached hereto. Kindly amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings none

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

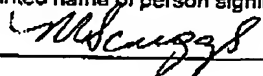
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